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## HIGH COST OF LIGHTNING

OFF on the western horizon yesterday afternoon lightning played with fitful impulse, darting across the sky and giving a pretty presentation of the most beautiful effects. At times the sullen sky in the distance, which contrasted with the brightness overhead in Tonopah, was illumined with splashes of vivid splendor. Suddenly a tongue of fire shot from the firmament, the hum of life in Tonopah stopped with the suddenness of a shock and all was still. The hoists ceased their musical whir, the mills sank into silence as the ponderous stamps were hung up or stood still in the mortars, lights in dark corners expired and the camp was hushed. The only local indication was a monument of flame that shot from the lightning arrester at the substation as the electricity from above shot through the intricacies of wiring devised for the purpose of preventing the ingress of dangerous currents from the Jovian amphitheater. Fourteen miles away lightning had struck the power system and instantaneously the full force of the shock came tearing into the substation with a voltage that would have destroyed the structure and crippled the system had it not been for the various scientific traps designed to divert the vagrant current into safe channels. The delay was not long. It only lasted thirty minutes. Down underground, miners stood or sat at their stations waiting for the power to come on. Drills hung in the holes and trammers found the gangway at the silent shafts congested. A general halt ensued. Taken in detail the loss was momentary, but, viewed on the whole, every company suffered seriously from enforced idleness. Coming as it did close to the change of shifts the stoppage found the runners just about completing their rounds of holes, but the time was so limited that they could not finish their assigned quantity, which had to be left to the next shift, and in this way the service was impaired to the extent of almost four hours' delay. In this altitude, especially on the desert where there are no high objects in the shape of trees or natural growth to attract the shafts of electricity, it is almost impossible to control the elements of Nature that interrupt the invisible traffic carried over the wires from the summit of the Sierras, 110 miles away, over two ranges of mountains. The lines of poles strung over the face of Nature for this distance are the most conspicuous objects on the landscape, and thus the lightning finds lodgment in these poles. The voltage of lightning in this altitude is of incalculable magnitude and science has not been able to grapple successfully with the problem of controlling the mysterious force extracted from the clouds.

The power company has had its electricians busy with this subject for many years, but the solution appears to be as far distant as at any time, notwithstanding the steady and revolutionary advance in the science of electricity. A correction of the evil would mean a sensible reduction of an aggravation that at this season becomes a source of great annoyance.

## GO NOW AND REGISTER

DON'T forget, every man and woman entitled to vote at the next general election must register now. It makes no difference how long you have been in Nevada or how long you have been living in Tonopah, with or without a change of residence, it is absolutely necessary that you register, if you intend voting at the primaries on August 8. While there are nearly ninety days ahead for the completion of the work of polling citizens for the general election, the duty should not be postponed but should be done now, when the registrar is able to give his attention to the applicant without entailing any delay. It is important that a full vote should be brought out for the primaries, when the delegates will be chosen to nominate officers. If you go to the office of Justice of the Peace Dunseath the business of registering can be dispatched in the course of a couple of minutes. If the voter prefers to wait until the approach of the last day reminds him of the fleetness of time he will have to wait the time and pleasure of the registering officer, who will be occupied with hundreds of other dilatory citizens.

The new voter is not required to state her age, which at all times is a matter of some delicacy, as the law provides that the applicant simply affirms that she is twenty-one and therefore entitled to vote. If she is twenty-two or sixty-two it makes no difference. The law takes these matters into consideration with the intention of removing the disagreeable features and to induce the ladies to enroll their names among the honored first voters of Nevada. Women, young and old, should feel the honors of citizenship to the extent of availing themselves of the privilege of suffrage for which they strove earnestly for the past ten years. They should be among the first to register and preempt the first privilege of citizenship.

There cannot be the least doubt that this is a Republican year, as the Bonanza has often asserted. It will be a Republican year in every detail down to the remotest precinct of Nevada and on up to the presidency, with the superb Charles Evans Hughes in the White House. The nation has suffered from the four years' dalliance with a wavering policy and is now ripe for a return to the firmness and patriotism of a Republican administration. There is not going to be any minority ticket elected this year. The Republicans are welded into a solid phalanx such as existed in the days of the Taft-Roosevelt administration and the result will be a landslide to the party that stands for prosperity and progress.

## CLIPPED AND CREDITED

China saves trouble by letting Japan pick her president.—Pittsburg Post.

Of course a Texan would look well on the supreme court bench, either sitting or standing.—Galveston News.

Carranza is in the peculiar position of having nothing to lose and no chance of gaining anything.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Charles E. Hughes has the well balanced trait of knowing when to talk and when to keep still.—Washington Ledger.

## LARGEST GEMS IN WORLD GIVEN KAISER

GERMAN EMPEROR PRESENTED FINE SET OF TURQUOISE BY PERSIAN PRINCE

(By Associated Press.)

VIENNA, July 14.—Representing "the gratitude and admiration of all Mohammedans," Mehdi Gassem of Neschhed, Persia, a resident of Vienna, has presented Emperor William of Germany with a huge talisman fashioned by himself out of turquoise. In return the emperor has given him a stickpin containing his monogram in diamonds.

For the talisman Gassem chose one of the three largest turquoise in existence, a stone the size of an ostrich egg. This is mounted in gold, surmounted by a crown and the letter "W" and flanked by the figures "1914" and "1915." Below the huge turquoise are four smaller stones, the Persian sun and lion, and on the medallions on which the stones are mounted is a Persian poem to the Kaiser engraved in Arabic.

## NEVADA'S GREAT CURIOSITY PLACE CLOSING ITS DOORS

On account of the fact that he is unable longer to give the business his personal attention, Allen Fisher has decided to close his place of business in Wells. For the first time in about thirty-five years the doors are barred and this famous old place, conducted during all that time as one of the most orderly bars ever existing in any state in the American union, is silent. This bar, in reality a museum of the wonders and curios of the world, is known from the Pacific to the Atlantic and from the Rio Grande to the border line of which the Great Lakes form a part. Its wonders have been viewed by thousands of most refined ladies of the land, safe from insult or molestation. It has always been a hobby with Mr. Fisher to conduct the business in such style that ladies could, without fear, cross the threshold of his bar and view the curios within the double room. No blinds have graced the doors and

## Afternoon Newspapers Are Printing the News TODAY!

That is what the public wants. The old time publisher used to think that it did not make any difference whether the public received the news today or tomorrow. The average newspaper was filled with correspondence weeks old. But today, the public demands, the news of today without delay. What is news this afternoon is history tomorrow. A subscriber is not content to read the news tomorrow that his neighbor read yesterday in a more enterprising newspaper.

## MIDLAND GARAGE OPEN FOR GENERAL BUSINESS

The Midland garage and machine shop is now open for business. The establishment has a strategic position, two of the streets upon which it fronts being on the angle of the Midland trail.

The main building, which is constructed of corrugated iron and concrete, is 75x50 feet, and the office and ladies' rest room adjoining are 30x15 feet. The plant is located at the intersection of Erie-Main streets and Cross and Florence avenues. A special equipment of machinery has been installed, for not only repair but construction work. There are two double head pits in the repair department. A specialty is made of transcontinental cars. Percy Pollock is manager of the company and Forest Lovelock, secretary. The company carries a complete line of accessories.

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series, making a specialty of filtered gasoline and Monogram and Zerolene oils and greases. It has exclusive agency for Firestone tires. The management invites the people of Tonopah and Goldfield to call and inspect the new garage.

## WILSON'S RESORT FOR SALE

Ill health compels me to leave the state and offer for sale at a sacrifice the well known Wilson Resort north of Tonopah. The place covers several mining claims, is well shaded, stocked with vehicles, horses, pumps, gas engines and all appurtenances required in operating the place either for a home ranch or resort. The water supply is the best and the resort is the only one close to the largest mining camp in Nevada. The entire place with good will and fixtures will be sold. Investigation invited. Make me an offer.

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1914.....78

1915.....101

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